

BACK RIDGE FIELD
05-1195

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2005**, upon the application of **MANTI OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Abbeville 2 Sand, Reservoir C**, in the Back Ridge Field, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the Abbeville 2 Sand, Reservoir C.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the Abbeville 2 Sand, Reservoir C.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate a unit operator of, and unit well for, the proposed unit, as may be appropriate.
5. To provide that future wells drilled to the Abbeville 2 Sand, within or outside of the unit proposed herein, be located in accordance with the provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
6. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such a reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Abbeville 2 Sand, Reservoir C, is hereby defined as the stratigraphic equivalent of that oil and gas bearing interval encountered between the measured depths of 14,138' and 14,346' in the Mission Resources Corporation (formerly Meridian Resource Corporation) - J A Davis 26 No. 1 Well (SN 219893), located in Section 26, Township 14 South, Range 9 West, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.

